Gang Starr Lyrics

"Bad Name"

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Beef is what's up now, careers are gettin' shut down The media wants something meaty People are fuckin' greedy Music and culture's like a foreign language You'd be better off staging a fake beef in Spanglish Compadre, can you handle the whole weight? Adios mios watch 'em swallow your whole plate You used to support your fam offa this Now you can't even buy Spam offa this And I don't deal with swine I ain't Dr. Phil, I truly help you heal your mind Nowadays it's like everybody's losin' it Instead of them preserving this gift they're all abusing it It's mad drama, they want us reachin' with the Limas Causin' hysteria, the new Hip Hop criteria And they forgot about the blood, sweat and tears Now we see the results of all the blunts, chicks and beers

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